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Application No. 10/689,098-Conf. #3815	Filing Date October 21, 2003	Examiner S. D. Rosasco	Art Unit 1756		
Applicant(s): Shigeru Moriya et al.					
Invention: MASK, METHOD OF PRODUCING MASK, AND METHOD OF PRODUCING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In full and timely response to the Official Action dated March 13, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

**Appendix** is attached following page 9 of this paper.